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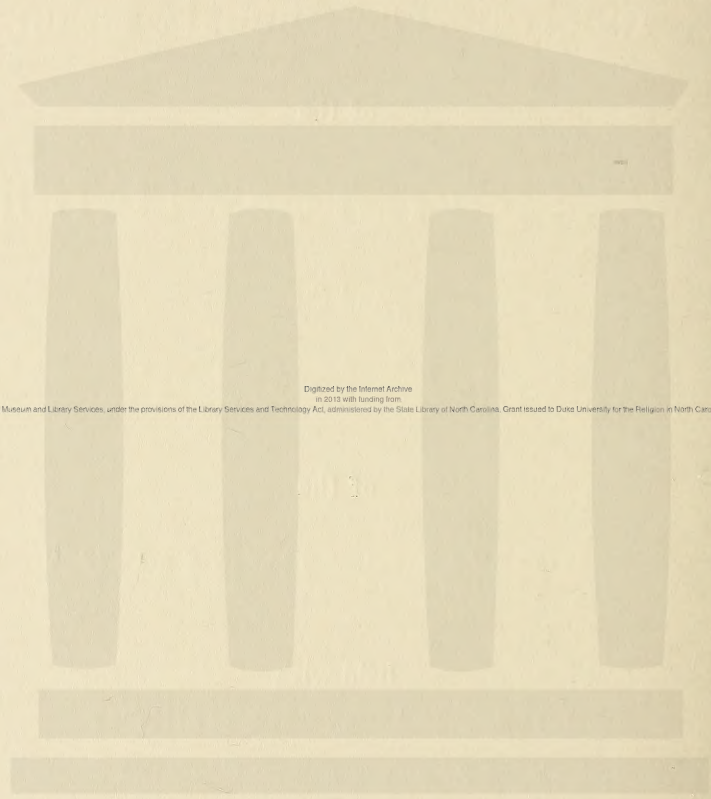

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Juniper Level ..... Brother C. Bates
Malaby's Cross Roads ..... Brother Moses Harris
New Bethel ..... Brother William Morgan and Charles Jefferys
Phelps Chapel ..... Brother Joe Harris
Woodland Chapel ..... Brother Arthur Gill
New Providence ..... Brothers J. J. Ray, and Levi Yates
Wakefield ..... Brother Robert Pretty
Tupper Memorial ..... Brothers R. P. Saunders and West
Stoke's Chapel ..... Brother Frank Battle
Merry Grove ..... Brother Odell Wright
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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I This body shall be known as the Wake Baptist Association.

ARTICLE II The objective of this Association shall be the promotion of Christ's Kingdom among men, and the means of accomplishing this shall be in strict conformity with the New Testament.

ARTICLE III This Association shall be composed of Delegates chosen by the Churches connected with it, each church being entitled to at least one delegate, and one delegate for each hundred members of the churches connected with this body shall be considered members of this Association. Ex-officers and members who are not in charge of or connected with churches within the bounds of this Association who present testimonials of good standing may become annual members by the payment of $1.00.

ARTICLE IV. The delegates of each church shall bear a letter certifying their appointment giving an account of the condition of the church, and a statement of all funds contributed for benevolent purposes during the year.

ARTICLE V. The Officers of this Association shall be a Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor and Historian.

Section 1. The Board of this Association shall be an Executive, consisting of twelve members; including the officers of the Association, a Ministerial Board; also such committees as may be authorized by the Association.

ARTICLE VI The Officers and the Board Members shall be elected at the Annual meeting of the Association.

Section 1. The Members of the Executive Board shall assume their duties at the close of the Annual Meeting.

Section 2. The Ministerial Board Members shall serve as occasion may require.

ARTICLE VII The Moderator shall open all meetings punctually, and preside during the deliberation of the body; enforce the observance of the constitution, decide all questions of order; giving his opinion concerning any subject under discussion after others have spoken or when called upon, and give the casting vote in the event of a tie.

ARTICLE VIII The Vice Moderator shall discharge the duties of the Moderator in his absence.

ARTICLE IX The Clerk shall keep a record of the Proceedings of the Association; superintend the printing and distribution of the minutes;

keep on file the printed minutes and other important papers of the Association.

ARTICLE X The Treasurer shall receive all money contributed by the member churches, make disbursements as authorized by the Association. He shall not pay any order on the Treasurer except it be signed by the Moderator and Clerk. He shall make his annual report to the Association.

ARTICLE XI The Auditor shall audit the Treasurer's book and attest his annual report to the Association.

ARTICLE XII The Corresponding Secretary, as directed by the Moderator shall communicate with the churches and serve as the secretary of the Ministerial Board.

ARTICLE XIII The Historian shall collect facts of interest of the Association and member churches and make a report to each annual meeting of the Association.

ARTICLE XIV Any Baptist Church or organization seeking membership in this Association must present a petition to the Association in session through delegates appointed for that purpose.

Section 1. Upon reception of such Church or organization the Moderator shall extend to the delegates the right hand of fellowship, on behalf of the Association. This Association shall not maintain the fellowship with any Church or organization that is not in Gospel order.

ARTICLE XV The Association shall meet on Wednesday and Thursday before the Third Sunday in August each year with the Church or Institute which invites it unless otherwise designated by the Executive Board.

ARTICLE XVI We shall withdraw the right hand of fellowship from any minister wh walks disorderly or contrary to the Gospel rule.

ARTICLE XVII Each Church connected with the Association may continue its membership by supporting this Constitution.

ARTICLE XVIII The Wake Baptist Sunday School Convention, The Wake Baptist Missionary Union, the Woman's Auxiliary and the Ministers' and Deacons' Union are auxiliaries of the Association.

ARTICLE XIX There shall be a Minister's and Deacon's Union as an Auxiliary of the Parent Body of the Wake Baptist Association.

Section 1. The object of the Ministers' and Deacons' Union shall be primarily to better acquaint Ministers and Deacons also other members of the Baptist Denomination with the Christian Way of Life.

Section 2. The Officers of the Ministers' and Deacons' Union shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Section 3. The officers of the said Ministers' and Deacon's Union shall be elected at each annual sesson of the Wake Association.

Section 4. Ministers, Deacons and Members of the Churches of the Association in good and regular standing, and supporting the objectives of the Association, shall be counted members of the Union.

Section 5. A free will offering will be given in the Ministers' and Deacons' Union by each member to help spread the gospel and its teachings.

Section 6. The Ministers' and Deacons' Union shall submit a written report to each Annual Session, of its programs, activities and funds.

Section 7. The Association shall provide necessary funds to lawfully and reasonably support the said Union Programs as directed by the Parent Body.

Section 8. The Ministers' and Deacons' Union shall meet each fifth Saturday and Sunday unless otherwise advised by the Association.

ARTICLE XX The object of the Auxiliary shall be to aid the Association in the extension of Christ's Kingdom.

Section 1. The Officers of the Auxiliary shall be President, Vice President, Recording Secretary and Treasurer of each department.

Section 2. All officers of the Auxiliary shall be elected annually.

Section 3. All moneys collected by the Auxiliary shall be turned over to the Finance Committee of the Association in session and a receipt taken for the same.

Section 4. All reasonable expenses of the Auxiliary shall be paid by the Association.

Section 5. The time of meeting of the Auxiliary shall be simultaneous with the meeting of the Association.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE XXI This Constitution may be amended at any Session of the Association by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

Section 1. Schools, Societies and Individuals shall be acknowledged in the minutes of the Association.

Section 2. Before the final adjournment of the Association all the funds notes, and etc., shall be counted by the Finance Committee and Treasurer. The Treasurer shall give the Finance Committee a reciept for the amount placed in his hands.

Section 3. The Treasurer shall pay out no money except on order written by the Clerk and signed by the Moderator and Clerk.

Section 4. After the expense of the Association shall have been paid the remaining funds shall be applied to such purposes as the Association may direct. The Executive Board shall execute plans adopted by the Association.

Section 5. The Auditor shall audit the accounts of the Treasurer and make annual report to the Association.

Section 6. The duties of the Board provided for the Constitution shall be such as are usually performed by such boards in other similar bodies.

PROCEEDINGS

The Ninety-Second Annual Session of the Wake Baptist Association and the Fortieth Annual Session of the Woman's Auxiliary met with the Pilot Baptist Church. The devotional services were conducted by the Reverend C. H. Heath and the Reverend Odell Wright. "Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross" was the opening Hymn. The Scripture was taken from the Psalms ,read by Reverend Heath; the Reverend Wright offered the prayer. "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" and " I Am Thine O! Lord" were also sung.

Moderator Stokes came forward and declared the meeting opened for business. In the absence of the pastor, Deacon Clemons gave us brief words of welcome. Dr. C. E. Askew gave the response.

The next item to claim our attention was a topic, "The Doctrine of Sin." This topic was suppose to have been discussed by the Reverend Garland Wiggins, but in his stead, the Reverend A. M. Wiggins ascended the rostrum and stated that a person would not know how to avoid a thing unless he knew something about the thing. We should learn all we can about sin so we will know how to avoid it. Sin is any thing that makes us revolt against the Will of God. The speaker called our attention to the Genesis account of sin. He said that although man went against the Will of God, God made provisions for his return. This was done. first by the aid of the Law and then by the aid of the prophets. Finally, God sent His only begotten Son into the world to save mankind from sin.

By this time the pastor had arrived. He stated that the Pilot Baptist Church was fifty years old, and in all of that time the Wake Association had never convened with them. In view of that fact, the members and friends of the community were extremely happy to have the Association to be their guest.

Moderator Stokes had expressions from the Reverend J. W. Jones, the leader of the Johnston Association. Several laymen made remarks: Brothers A. C. Parrish, Oak City; Robert Haskins, Wilson; U. G. Jones, Wakefield; Smith, Juniper; Clemons, Gethsemane; Corinna Dunn, Good Hope and others.

The time had arrived for the morning sermon, the Reverend T. A. Watkins accompanied the Reverend G. E. Jones to the pulpit. Reverend Watkins made a few remarks and presented Reverend Jones to bring the message. He announced his text from Matthew's Gospel, 17th Chapter and 5th verse. "While he yet spake, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them: and behold a voice out of the cloud, which said, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye him," The speaker's theme was "Hear The Lord." Reverend Jones said That man must be able to hear God. We can hear God through the Scripture; we can hear him through nature. Every creature seems willing to hear the voice of

God except man, but if we are to be true people of God, we must hear, said the minister.

After the sermon, brother U. G. Jones of Wakefield called for the offering.

Moderator Stokes presented the new pastors and visitors. Reverend J. E. Bond was presented to the Association as the new pastor of New Liberty Baptist Church. Dr. Sherrill brought greetings from the General Baptist State Convention. Reverend J. W. Fleming of the Department of Religious Education of the Convention also brought greetings. The Reverend W. R. Griggs was presented to our body. He heads the work of Inter-racial Cooperation of the Southern Baptist Convention. Brother Griggs stated that he was available to work with the Wake Association to preach and teach. He further pointed out some of the qualities of a good leader. He said a good leader knows where he is going and he will take some one with him. There are three hundred thousand Negroes between the ages of 8-10 unsaved in the southland. Reverend Jones gave the benediction.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session of the Wake Baptist Association opened at 2:00 P.M. with singing "Glory to His Name.' The Scripture was the 133rd Psalm. The prayer was offered by Deacon Clemons. Deacon R. C. Wheeless led in singing, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arm."

After the devotionals, Dr. C. E. Askew came before the body to discuss the topic: "Regeneration or the New Birth." The speaker set forth the following ideas: 1. Conviction, 2. Godly Sorry, 3. Decision, 4. Regeneration or New Creature, 5. Justification, 6. Sanctification.

The time had now arrived for the Moderator's Address. Vice Moderator C. H. Heath presented Reverend Stokes who announced his subject: "The Opportunities and Duties of the Wake Baptist Association." Reverend Stokes set forth his message in the form of recommendations. They are as follows:

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That all Christians strive to obtain more of the riches of God's grace through daily Bible study and prayer.

2. That winning souls to Christ and a life consecrated and dedicated to His service will be the unceasing practice of the church.

3. That the pastor will stress, the high importance of each member of his church taking the Training Courses now offered by your Association, dealing with the Baptist Church Covenant; emphasizing the doctrines, Bible teachings and practices of the Baptist Church.

4. That the pastors and all officials of each Church of this Association will gird themselves like men, be strong in the Lord, stress the sovereignty of the Church, with Chist to lead, humbly, admonish, but loudly sound the words of Jesus' prayer, "That they all maybe one," (John 17-21) Let the Executive Board of this Association and the Executive Board of the Wake County Sunday School Convention work out together, if you please, a united program of training for the constituency of this great body of Christian believers.

(a) That the entire department of Leadership Training will ever be tied into the State and Southern Baptist Conventions' Program of Religious Training for their approval.

5. Let us strongly urge every member of each church to give money for Missions and Christian Education the Bible way, "as God hath prospered him." I Cor. 16:2. May I declare unto you that every pastor, deacon, yea! all who have to do with leading any group of members in the church, should see to it that each member pay his or her $1.00 per year through the church for the objectives of your Association. Send the money to Baptist Headquarters and bring it to this Association, too.

a. Let us consider Churches that need some help ,put ourselves in their places and earnestly strive to give them aid, and their pastors too.

6. God is not pleased with the action of any Church or Convention allowing the people to gather thereabout on Sunday to carry on Commercialism and many forms of evil practices. May I therefore, appeal to Christian principles in the Church members of this Association to rise up in open condemnation of such existing conditions and do something to stop these evil practices.

7. Let us support Shaw University and earnestly strive to keep going a Christian College to train our youth.

8. The Woman's Auxiliary of this Association is doing a good work in reaching back to the local Church through the Mission Circles. Every pastor and the official staff of each church is hereby urged to see that an active mission circle is in your church. Let that circle represent into the Woman's Auxiliary of this Body with a large delegation and money. My position here is, if the Women pay $50 in the total money for Missions in the Church, give their circle credit and the money to bring to the Auxiliary.

9. That this Body, and all Christians in these perilous times will exercise steadfast faith in Jesus Christ, pray earnestly and stay humbly before Almighty God for Divine Guidance in all things.

10. That the pastors and churches strive to conduct a Daily Vacation Bible School each year at their respective churches.

11. That we meet in Extra Session next spring at a church to which this body may be invited. That the Committee on Place of Meeting seek such a place and report please, at this session.

12. To help deserving members of this Association who need aid to study at Shaw University School of Religion, I recommend that $500 be ear-marked for that purpose.

13. The proposed budget for the next fiscal year of this Association ending July 31, 1959 be as follows:

Shaw University	$ 2,000
Home Missions and Aid to Churches	1,500
Foreign Missions	1,000
Oxford Orphanage	300
Student Loan Fund	500
Leadership Training	300
Operating Expenses	400
TOTAL	$ 6,000

COMMITTEE ON MODERATOR'S ADDRESS

We, Your Committee on the Moderator's Address, have carefully studied its contents. This message shows the concern of a leader with great humility and great concern for The Cause which he represents.

We are aware that here in these times it is necessary to follow our leader by honoring his total program. We therefore, recommend that the recommendations be accepted.

The Committee,
Reverend S. L. Suitt, Chairman
O. H. Broadie
Deacon Theodore Chavis
Deacon Roman Green

The remaining part of the afternoon was devoted to reports. Please note Reports. We had expressions from Dr. W. R. Strassner. He complimented the Association for its efficiency and expressed his appreciation for the support the Association had given the University.

New bodies were recognized at this point, they were: First Baptist, Middlesex, pastored by Reverend B. V. Alston and the William's Grove Baptist Church, Raleigh, pastored by Reverend B. H. Closs.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES

The Wednesday evening services were conducted by the Woman's Auxiliary. See Auxiliary Report.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

The devotionals were conducted by the Reverends Herman Fort and Clyde B. Walton. "Am I A Soldier of the Cross" was the opening selection. The Scripture was taken from I John 1-12. The prayer was offered by Brother Fort. After the devotionals a few expressions were made by several of the members of the Association.

In the absence of Dr. J. Neal Hughley, Reverend Walton was asked to discuss the theme "The Doctrinal Claims of Salvation in the Baptist Church" Reverend Walton defined salvation as being saved from something. He said that man was born into the world with certain inclinations. Man is hopeless without Christ. Man cannot be saved by reformation alone. There must be a change in his life.

An Associational choir was composed under the guidance of Mrs. McClain while the body made preparation to receive the message by our Executive Secretary of the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Missionary Convention, Dr. Wendell C. Sommerville. Dr. Sommerville was presented by Dr. Davis. The guest speaker announced his text from Acts 16th chapter and 10th verse: "And after he had seen the vision, immediately we endeavored to go into Macedonia assuredly gathering that the Lord had called us to reach the gospel unto them." The speaker emphasized three words in his discourse — He. We. Us. The speaker said that God had always been interested in the individual. The individual touches other individuals. It was so with Paul. Paul was willing to come down to Troas where there was work to be done. Finally, said the minster, "When we have seen the vision, we are ready to lend a hand to our fellowmen."

An appeal for foreign mission was made. A number of persons made contributions. The following names were recorded:

Grady D. Davis	$ 5.00	Mrs. Lizzie Askew	3.00
W. A. Perry	5.00	W. M. Smith	1.00
T. B. Smith	5.00	Brother Parks	5.00
W. C. Sommerville	5.00	Brother Horton	2.00
G. S. Stokes	5.00	Miss Penny Perry	5.00
C. R. Trotter	5.00	Isaac Lee	1.00
A. M. Wiggins	5.00	B. W. Lane	5.00
Hermon Fort	5.00	W. M. Rorgers	1.00
C. H. Heath	5.00	Ira Burton	1.00
Avery Horton	5.00	G. W. Watkins	1.00
U. G. Jones	5.00	Clyde Walton	3.00
L. B. Hockaday	5.00	Sister Akins	1.00
S. L. Suitt	5.00	H. A. Clemons	1.00
Vick Austin	5.00	C. E. Askew	1.00
J. W. Bridgeman	5.00	C. V. King	1.00

J. R. Ricks	1.00	Millard Jones	1.00
Sister Fannie Woods	.75	Sister J. W. Thomas	1.00
Sister Mary Ellen Thomas	3.00	Sister Rosa Jones	1.50

Adjournment and Dinner

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The Association reconvened at two o'clock under the guidance of Mrs. M. N. Perry. She suggested that many of our members have become lazy and satisfied. We must rethink our Christian duty; we need to strengthen our Mission Departments, we must provide the right type of recreation for our membership.

The final message of the Association was brought to us by the Reverend A. M. Wiggins. He was presented to the Association by the Reverend Avery Horton. The speaker took for his text Hebrews 13:1, "Let brotherly love continue." There is no love like brotherly love said the speaker; this brotherly love needs a chance in our churches. We must not put any thing in the way of brotherly love. We must do all we can so it will continue to grow and live in our lives. He concluded with the illustration from the life of Abraham and Lot, and also Joseph and his brothers. An offering was lifted for sister Glendora Jones one of the faithful member of the Association. The amount raised was $20.53.

The rest of the time was devoted to the receiving of reports. Please note reports.

The Association closed to meet with the Macedonia Baptist Church in its next Annual Session August 12, 13, 1959.

THE WAKE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TREASURY REPORT

Payed to the Order of:

No. 644	Reverend J. W. Jones — Sermon	$ 10.00
No. 645	Reverend Crandell — Sermon	10.00
No. 656	Theo. Davis and Sons — 500 Order Forms	14.50
No. 647	Reverend C. R. Trotter — Sermon	10.00
No. 648	Reverend T. A. Watkins — Messages	15.00
No. 649	Reverend C. C. Jones — Expense	7.00
No. 650	Reverend A. A. Anderson — Auditor	5.00
No. 651	Reverend C. E. Heath — Vice Moderator	10.00
No. 652	C. L. Laws — Expense	15.00
No. 653	Woman's Auxiliary — Expense	30.00
No. 655	Executive Board — Year's Expenses	16.80
No. 656	Finance Committee — Reverend W. A. Perry	12.00
No. 657	Irving-Swain Press — Minutes and Programs	202.00
No. 658	Baptist Convention — State Mission	100.00

No. 659	Lott Carey Convention — Representation Fee	100.00
No. 660	H. C. High — Lott Carey Delegate's Expense	16.00
No. 661	Reverend C. R. Trotter — Institute, Fuquay	50.00
No. 662	Shaw University — Donation	25.00
No. 664	Reverend George S. Stokes — Services	20.00
No. 665	Reverend T. A. Watkins — Fuquay Trip, Institute	10.00
No. 666	Tucker Memorial Church — Donation	10.00
No. 667	B. W. Lane — Delegate, State Convention	15.00
No. 668	Worley Pace — Student Loan, Shaw University	25.00
No. 669	T. A. Watkins — New Liberty Institute	50.00
No. 670	Theo. Davis and Sons — Letters	2.90
No. 671	Doris L. Morgan — Student Loan	25.00
No. 672	Reverend Clyde B. Walton — Service Building Fund	25.00
No. 673	Theo. Davis and Sons — Letters	2.90
No. 674	Reverend C. R. Trotter — Clerk Services	100.00
No. 675	Reverend S. L. Suitt — Preaching	10.00
No. 676	Dr. Grady Davis — Preaching	10.00
No. 678	Theo. Davis and Sons — Letters	3.05
No. 679	Shaw University — Donation	1,075.19
No. 680	Reverend T. A. Watkins — Institute Service	50.00
	TOTAL	$ 2,082.64

DEPOSITS

August 16, 1957	$ 1,163.16
April 1, 1958	1,095.19
May 9, 1958	12.25
TOTAL	$ 2,270.60
Paid Out	2,082.64
BALANCE	$ 187.96
Balance Brought Forward	102.17
Balance	$ 290.13

COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION

We, your Committee on Organization, wish to make the following report:

Moderator	Reverend G. S. Stokes
Vice Moderator	Reverend C. H. Heath
Clerk	Reverend C. R. Trotter
Corresponding Secretary	Reverend C. C. Jones
Historian	Reverend T. A. Watkins
Treasurer	C. L. Laws
Auditor	Reverend A. A. Anderson

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Reverend G. S. Stokes, Reverend C. H. Heath, Reverend C. R. Trotter, Reverend C. C. Jones, Reverend A. A. Anderson, Reverend S. L. Suitt, Reverend A. M. Wiggins, Deacon R. B. Rayford, Deacon H. C. High Deacon B. W. Lane, Deacon R. D. Wilder and Brother Philmore Dunn

MINISTERIAL BOARD

Reverend G. S. Stokes, Reverend T. A. Watkins, Reverend C. A. Marriott, Reverend C. C. Jones, Reverend S L Suitt, Dr. W. R. Strassner, Reverend P. H. Johnson, and Reverend C. R. Trotter

MINISTERS' AND DEACONS' UNION

President ..... Reverend Avery Horton
Vice President ..... Deacon R. D. Wilder
Secretary ..... Reverend G. O. Watkins
Assistant Secretary ..... Reverend W. M. Perry
Treasurer ..... Brother Otha Holden

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

President ..... Mrs. M. N. Perry
Secretary ..... Mrs. Lizzie B. Askew
Corresponding Secretary ..... Mrs. Isabel Wright
Treasurer ..... Mrs. Mattie Jones
Junior President ..... Miss Pennie Perry

Respectfully submitted,
Reverend A. M. Wiggins, Chairman
Reverend U. G. Jones
Brother H. M. Fitts
Brother R. D. Wilder
Reverend S. L. Suitt

The Report was adopted.

Pilot Baptist Church
August 13, 14, 1958

To the Wake Baptist Association:
Your Committee on Finance submits the followng report:

FINANCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Churches	State Missions	Foreign Missions	Shaw University	Other Purposes	Total
Bethlehem				$ 20.00	$ 20.00
Baptist Grove				15.00	15.00
Elevation				10.00	10.00
William Grove (New Church)				2.00	2.00
Felts (Phelps) Chapel				20.00	20.00
First Baptist, Franklinton				20.00	20.00
First Baptist, Fuquay				40.00	40.00
First Baptist, Raleigh				15.00	15.00
Amount Thursday Evening Offering					28.80
First Baptist, Wendell					
First Baptist, Wilson				25.00	25.00
First Baptist, Zebulon				14.00	14.00
Friendship Chapel				11.00	11.00
Gethsemane				20.00	20.00
Good Hope				45.00	45.00
Holly Springs, First Baptist				44.60	44.60
Jones Chapel				20.00	20.00
Jones Hill				18.00	18.00
Juniper Level				19.50	19.50
Macedonia				10.00	10.00
Malaby's Cross Road				22.00	22.00
Mary Grove				5.65	5.65
Martin Street				10.00	10.00
Mt. Bright	$ 10.00	$ 10.00	$ 10.00		30.00
Received Late				30.00	30.00
Mt. Pleasant				35.00	35.00
First Baptist, Middlesex				10.00	10.00
New Bethel, Rolesville				25.00	25.00
New Liberty				32.77	32.77
New Providence				17.00	17.00
Oak City					15.00
Oak Grove				9.00	9.00
Received Late				10.00	10.00
Oberlin Baptist					
Olive Branch				20.00	20.00
Pilot Baptist	5.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	25.00
Pleasant Grove				25.00	25.00
Riley Hill				100.00	100.00
Springfield	15.00	15.00			30.00
Stoke's Chapel				10.00	10.00
St. Matthew				28.09	28.09
Tupper Memorial					
Union Grove				30.52	30.52

Wake Baptist Grove, Garner				8.00	8.00
Wake Chapel				35.00	35.00
Wakefield Baptist Church				35.00	35.00
Woodland Chapel				15.00	15.00
Wednesday Offering					232.12
Thursday Offering					161.46
Woman Auxiliary					108.66
Wake Mission Union					10.00
TOTAL	30.00	30.00	15.00	832.13	1,323.17
Number of Churches Reporting				41	
Amount Collected at Session					$ 1,323.18
Amount Brought Forward					290.13
TOTAL					$ 1,613.31

Your Committee,
C. A. Robinson, Chairman
H. L. Morgan
H. C. High
Deacon C. L. Laws

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Moderator:

We your Committee on Resolutions beg to submit the following Report:

1. Be it Resolved that a Committee be appointed at this session of the Association to work with the Moderator in mapping out and executing for the coming year the recommendations set forth in the Moderator's Address.

2. Be it further Resolved that the pastor or a committee in each church keep the members informed of our present world crisis and to encourage them to work for the best interest of our church and community, always keeping the spirit of Christ before us.

3. Be it also Resolved: That we will support the organizations in the community that are working for the promotion and advancement of mankind.

Respectfully submitted:
Rev. D. N. Howard, Chairman
Bro. A. C. Parrish
Rev. S. L. Suitt
Mr. Raymond Perry
Miss Pennie Perry

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION

Moderator:

We, Your Committee on Constitution beg to submit the following Report: That after due consideration and thought, we recommend that a special Committee on Constitution be appointed to study the various

changes, that this committee found that should be corrected; and, we further Recommend: That a copy of the Committee's Report be given to the Clerk of the Association in order that the Clerk can mail a copy of the changes, and additions to each church and pastor for their study and consideration in order that the delegates elected next year, will so be informed how to vote.

Respectfully submitted,
Reverend C. H. Heath, Chairman
Reverend J. E. Barnes
Reverend Vick Austin
Deacon A. G. Parrish
Deacon David Strcikland
Mrs. Mary Hayes
Mrs. E. M. Trice

COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALITY

We, Your Committee on Hospitality, wish to submit the following report.

Whereas the members, pastors and friends of the Pilot Baptist Church entertained us so loyally, we, the members of the Association, wish to extend a rising vote of appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,
Reverend J. W. Bridgman, Chairman
Deacon Earl Dunston
Annie Belle Bland, Secretary

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Whereas Religion and Education must go hand in hand in the development of a well ordered society, We the Committee on Educaton submit the following Recommendations:

1. That we continue to endorse wholeheartedly the Supreme Court's Decision outlawing segregation in the Public Schools, and work towards its fullfilment.

2. We support the Moderator's Recommendation to support Shaw University to the strength of our ability.

3. All Churches of the Association support the Training Program.

a. The Daily Vacation Bible School

b. The Leadership Training Courses

c. Encourage Bible reading in every family in each church.

4. We support wholeheartedly the scholarship fund to aid deserving members to attend Shaw University.

Your Committee,
Reverend T. A. Watkins, Chairman
Brother Roman Green
Brother B. O. Wilcox
Miss Pennie Perry, Secretary

COMMITTEE ON NEW BODIES

We, Your Committee on New Bodies recommend that William's Grove Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina and the First Baptist Church, Middlesex, North Carolina, become members of this Association.

The Committee,
Reverend C. H. Heath, Chairman
Reverend A. M. Wiggins
Mrs. Corinna Dunn
Reverend Vick Austin

OBITUARY

The following members have gone to their Eternal Home since our last gathering at Wake Chapel:

Pleasant Grove — Brother Theodore Lee, Sister Bettie Thorpe and Sister Carrie Whitley

Stoke's Chapel — Brother Joseph Pretty and Sister Eliza Allen

First Baptist, Franklinton — Listed four but no names

Jones Hill — Deacon Hansell Dunn and Sister Martha Heggins

Baptist Grove — Sister Lucindy Smith, Artilias Thompson, Sister Eva Mae Corbin and Sister Leora Evans.

New Bethel, Rolesville — No names listed

Springfield Baptist — Brothers Robert Jones and Edward Jones

Pilot Baptist — Brother Cleveland Bailey

Mount Pleasant Baptist — Brother Matthew McKnight, Brother Ashley Forte, Roy Burnett, H. C. Freeman and Sisters Clara Hunter, Lillie Dunn, B. Hagarday and Sister Pattie Bledsoe.

New Providence — One, but no name listed

Woodland Chapel — Sister Mary E. Trice

Macedonia — Brother Ransom Freeman and Garlon Hinton

Jones Chapel — None

Olive Branch — Brother Banks Jefferies, Fedney Mitchell, Sister Carrie Timberlake, Sister Pearl Williams and Sister Elnora Taylor

Martin Street — Brother Will Holland, John Paige and Richard Taylor

First Baptist, Fuquay Springs — Listed one, but no name

First Baptist, Zebulon — **None**

Juniper Level — Brother Hallie Smith and Rufus Holloway

First Baptist, Holly Springs — Listed four, but no names

Gethsemane Baptist — Brother Author Crudup, Brother Charlie Watkins, Deacon John Dunston, Sister Blanche Ellis

Malaby's Cross Roads — Brothers Umstead Smith, Sister Beulah Blake

First Baptist, Raleigh — Listed fifteen, but no names.

Friendship Chapel — Brothers William Perry, Lewis Burnett, Albert Hicks, Sister Viola Hicks and Sister Alice Ligon

Good Hope — Sister Maggie Williams and Brother Garfield Cooke

Union Grove — **None**

Oak Grove — **None**

Oak City — **None**

Riley Hill — Toney Jefferys, Sister Rosa Robertson, Sister Mary Ann Wiggins and Sister Minnie Haywood

Wake Chapel — Listed one, but no name

Jackson Chapel (First Baptist), Wilson — Brothers William Jefferies, Herman James, Macon Jackson, Deacon John Parks, Wash Wilkins, Wesley Hiner, Sister A. H. Jones, Sister Roberta Johnson, Sister Amanda Haskins and Brother A. Howard

St. Matthews — Sister Della Thompson

Wakefield Baptist — No names listed

Merry Grove — **None**

Mt. Bright — Listed four, but no names

New Liberty — **None**

Elevation — Sister Mary E. McKoy

Wake Baptist Grove .. Brother Clyde Avery, Sister Cora Myiatt and Sister R. J. Whitaker

First Baptist, Middlesex — Deacon Jessie Darden

COMMITTEE ON TIME AND PLACE

We, Your Committee on Time and Place wish to make the following report: That the next Annual Session of the Association be held with the Macedonia Baptist Church August 12-13, 1959.

Respectfully submitted,

Brother Otha Young

Brother B. W. Lane

Reverend W. A. Perry

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Route 1, Zebulon, North Carolina
August 13 and 14, 1958

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Wake Baptist Association met on the above date in its Fortieth Annual Session, with the Pilot Baptist Church, the Reverend J. B. Crandell, Pastor. In the morning's session the sisters met with the brethren of the Association. Mrs. M. N. Perry, our president, appointed the following sisters to compose our Finance Committee: Mrs. O. D. Lane, Chairman; Mrs. Grace Hodge and Mrs. Ada Perry.

The women joined in with the brethren for the afternoon session, however, Mrs. Perry made remarks in behalf of their work.

Wednesday evening session was conducted by the sisters The sermon was delivered by the Reverend B. H. Closs.

Thursday morning the sisters met in separate sessions. They opened with singing led by Kattie Keith and Sister Carrie McCullers and Sister Lizzie Chavis. "I A Bound For the Promise Land," was sung. The Scripture was taken from the 8th Chapter of Gal., the first eight verses.

After the devotionals, several sisters spoke briefly on the topic: "What Can We Do to Arouse Our Baptist Sisters in Mission Work?" Sister Powell, Sister Lane and Sister Keith spoke on the subject.

AUXILIARY FINANCIAL REPORT

SENIOR CIRCLE

First Baptist, Middlesex	$ 3.00
First Baptist, Franklinton	2.00
Riley Hill	15.00
Mt. Pleasant	5.00
Bethehem	5.00
New Bethel, Rolesville	10.00
Juniper Level	5.00
Springfield	5.00
Wakefield	2.00
Baptist Grove	5.00
First Baptist, Zebulon	2.50
Pleasant Grove	5.00
First Baptist, Holly Springs	2.00
Elevation	4.00
Macedonia	5.00
Jones Hill	4.00
Good Hope	6.00
Olive Branch	1.00

JUNIOR CIRCLES

Wake Chapel	$ 2.00
Baptist Grove	2.50
Riley Hill	5.00
Olive Branch	5.00
Public Offering	7.66
Total Amount of Money	$ 108.66

Your Committee,
Mrs. Ada Perry
Mrs. Lenter Perry
Mrs. Gracie Hodge
Mrs. O. D. Lane

THE UNITED SESSION

Olive Branch Baptist Church
Wake Forest, North Carolina
March 29, 1959

The United Session of the Wake Baptist Association met with the Olive Branch Baptist Church, the Reverend S. L. Suitt, pastor, on the fifth Sunday in March, 1959. The services opened at eleven o'clock with the choir singing Easter selections, "Were You There" and Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross." Mrs. M. N. Perry, the president of the Woman's Auxiliary made brief remarks and presented Mrs. O. D. Lane who presented Mrs. Kattie Keath who came before the body and announced her theme: "The Claims of Mission on the Church." The speaker stated Claims mean the right to call on. The church is a band of baptized believers, missions mean to send forth. The church has the right to send the gospel and "Good News forth in the world. This is the church's duty in the world, Mrs. Keath gave a thoughtful message.

Mrs. Gloria Taylor Dixon and Mr. Paul Crump rendered a selection

Brief remarks were made by Brother B. W. Lane, Philmore Dunn and the Reverend Avery Horton regarding their respective work.

The choir sang "Amazing Grace" afterwhich the Moderator presented Dr. Grady D. Davis to bring the message. The speaker made some remarks relative to the financial condition of Shaw University, and called upon every loyal Baptist to do his part. Dr. Davis selected for his subject "Getting Fit For Easter." The text was taken from Acts 10:41-42. Brother Davis said that everyone like to dress up for Easter, but he wish to emphasize the Spiritual preparation. If we are to be Dressed Up for Easter we must:

1. Go by Calvary
2. We must be fearless witnesses for God
   a. Some are ashamed to be witnesses for God
   b. Thomas was a doubter
   c. Mary Magadline was a good witness
   d. Paul was a good witness

The prayer was offered by Reverend B. B. Felder.

Offering.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The Sunday Afternoon Session of the Wake Baptist Association opened with the pastor and choir of Tupper Memorial Baptist Church in charge. "Jesus The Light of the World" was the opening selection "Praise God From Whom All Blesysings Flow" and the invocation Pastor Boone followed by "Amazing Grace."

Reverend Boone was presented by Reverend Stokes. Reverend announced his text from II Cor. 5:17: "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." His theme was A NEW DAY. The speaker said that we become New Creatures when we dedicate and consecrate our selves to Christ. We become new creatures when we accept new concepts about missions. The love of Christ in our hearts makes us new creatures. Finally said the speaker the new day in Jesus Christ will bring us joy for evermore. "Where Shall I Be When It Sounds" was the next selection.

Deacon Wiley Sanders and Deacon Robert Wilder called for an offering. The amount raised was $23.05.

The Moderator called for Committee's Reports. The Committee on Finance Reported $923.52. See Report.

COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALITY

We, Your Committee on Hospitality wish to submit the following report.

Whereas the members and friends of Olive Branch Baptist Church have so highly entertained us, we, the Members of The Wake Baptist

Association wish to extend a rising vote of thanks to the host church.

Your Commttee
Reverend B. V. Alston, Chairman
Reverend C. H. Morgan
Brother R. I. Burton
Reverend Essie Henry
Mrs. E. W. Perry, Secretary

FINANCIAL COMMITTEE REPORT

Churches	Deacons and Ministers	Extra Session	TOTAL
Bethlehem	$ 3.00	$ 10.00	$ 13.00
Baptist Grove	2.00	10.00	12.00
Elevation		10.00	10.00
Old Liberty		15.00	15.00
Felts (Phelps) Chapel — 29th	2.00	20.00	22.00
First Baptist, Franklinton		25.00	25.00
First Baptist, Fuquay — 29th	2.00	28.40	30.40
First Baptist, Raleigh			
First Baptist, McCullers			
First Baptist, Wendell		3.00	3.00
First Baptist, Wilson			
First Baptist, Zebulon	2.00	5.50	7.50
Friendship Chapel		12.50	12.50
Gethsemane	2.00	10.00	12.00
Good Hope		40.00	40.00
Holly Springs			
Jones Chapel			
Jones Hill	2.00	9.50	11.00
Juniper Level	2.00	30.00	32.00
Macedonia		5.00	5.00
Malaby's Cross Roads — 29th	2.00		2.00
Mary Grove	2.00		2.00
Martin Street			
Mt. Bright			
Mt. Pleasant	2.00	25.00	27.00
Mt. Zion, Cary			
New Bethel, Rolesville	2.00	25.00	27.00
New Liberty		15.00	15.00
New Providence		11.25	11.25
Oak City		10.00	10.00
Oberlin Baptist	2.00		3.00
Olive Branch			

Pilot Baptist	2.00	7.50	9.50
Pleasant Grove		50.00	50.00
Riley Hill	2.00	50.00	52.00
Springfield	2.00	25.00	27.00
Stoke's Chapel — 29th	2.00	10.00	12.00
St. Matthew	2.00	25.00	27.50
Tupper Memorial			
Union Grove — 29th	2.00		2.00
Wake Baptist Grove, Garner		52.00	52.00
Wake Chapel — 29th	2.00	25.00	27.00
Wakefield Baptist Church	2.00	25.00	27.00
Woodland Chapel	2.00	10.00	12.00
Offering	65.90	86.32	152.22
Offering for the Sick	9.58		9.58
Morning Star, Raleigh		5.00	5.00
First Baptist, Middlesex			14.00
William's Grove			69.50
Union Rep in Asso. — Reverend Marriott	1.00	13.00	14.00
TOTAL			$923.52

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